

## Bryngwyn School – Results day 2024

### Bryngwyn pupils build bright futures on firm foundations of exam success

Results day is, once again, a very proud and joyous occasion as the Bryngwyn community comes together to celebrate the success of Bryngwyn learners. These excellent results are the product of hard work, positivity and perseverance and form firm foundations for learners to build strong futures. It has been a real privilege to celebrate the many successes and impressive progress of Bryngwyn learners with students, parents, staff and the wider school community.

All of us at Bryngwyn are immensely proud of each of our pupils, who have embodied the core values and commitment that make Bryngwyn such a unique learning environment. Over the past 5 years, students and staff have constantly '**given their best**', working together to enable each individual to develop as powerful learners and strong young adults ready to build the next step on their future pathway into further education, employment and training. We would also like to thank them for the contribution they have made to the wider life of the school which helps make Bryngwyn such a special place to learn.

After a long wait filled with anticipation, 2024 results day has once again brought much excitement and joy to learners, families and staff. There has been plenty to celebrate as students collect their very successful, well-deserved GCSE and vocational results. It has truly been a very special occasion for everyone involved.

As a community, we work hard to ensure each learner establishes a strong base of skills and values to prepare them for their next steps. Today is the first phase for our learners to turn their hopes and visions into concrete plans, laying strong foundations for a thriving future. With each new challenge, we are reminded of the resilience, commitment and positivity of our students and teachers in meeting these challenges head-on and excelling together. Today is testament to that hard-work and these attributes will ensure Bryngwyn students are well-prepared for their varied future pathways.

Each student's curriculum is closely tailored to their personal needs, and we are delighted to celebrate the success of students across a wide range of qualifications in both academic and vocational routes. Our whole school team would like to congratulate our students on once again setting high standards at Bryngwyn. These results not only continue the legacy of excellent outcomes but also reflect a positive attitude and commitment to contributing to our wider school community. Ardderchog!

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- Our top ten Yr 11 pupils once again achieved a spectacular 106 grades at A\* or A grades between them, continuing the excellent standards set over many years.
- Pass rates continue to be very strong across an increasingly wide range of qualifications reflecting our ESTYN report that stated: "The quality and breadth of learning experiences are a significant strength".
- We are delighted to see pupils achieve well in both their personalised curriculum and a number of additional qualifications such as our work-related programme, AS level Welsh, additional maths, and vocational courses enabling them to progress onto many different pathways.
- Furthermore, we saw very strong performance across the core subjects with nearly 70% of students achieving their English GCSE and over 60% achieving their Mathematics. Furthermore 23% and 19% achieved the top grades A\*-A in these subjects respectively ensuring pupils excel as literate, numerate and curious individuals.
- Pupils also made huge progress by developing their skills in vocational courses such as Construction, Hair & Beauty, Health and Social Care and Tourism.
- There was also a real buzz for our Y10 pupils who successfully sat GCSE Numeracy a year early and can now eagerly look ahead to next year.
- As a Lead Professional Enquiry school, Bryngwyn continues to make significant progress in meeting the demands of modern society and Wales' 21st Century skills agenda, preparing learners for an exciting tomorrow.

**This has been another truly, remarkable year and we would like to wish all our learners the very best as they embark on the next steps in their journey.**

"It is once again wonderful to be able to celebrate the success of the pupils. We are all immensely proud of their positivity and resilience. Their hard work, supported by our dedicated staff, means that everyone has something to celebrate today. We wish them all the very best with their future endeavours, whatever they might be." **Kerry O' Brien-Cole, Assistant Headteacher.**

**Amy Van Praet, outgoing head of year Head of Year 11,** said: "I have thoroughly enjoyed working with year 11 and will miss them a great deal. The results that they have achieved reflect the efforts and commitment of the pupils as well as the high levels of support given to them by my colleagues across the school; it really has been a team effort. It has been lovely to see how our students have

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developed into young adults over their time at Bryngwyn and I am sure they will have many more successes as they embark on the next stage of their journey.”



**Giles Morgan, Chair of Governors across Bryngwyn and Glan y Mor** was once again delighted with the outcomes across both schools. “As always, the Governing Body remain proud of both Bryngwyn and Glan y Mor schools. We would like to congratulate each and every student on their academic achievements which reflect the dedication and hard work of everyone over the past 5 years. We would also like to commend them on their contribution to the wider life of the school and we are very proud of the young adults that they have become. On behalf of the Governing Body, I would like to wish them every success for the future as they move onto their chosen pathways.”

**Mr Rob Jones, Head of School commented:** “It has been a pleasure to see so many smiling faces today as so many pupils have met or even exceeded the goals they set for themselves. Our motto of ***“Giving our best to be the best”*** certainly captures the spirit here this morning. It has also been rewarding to see the success of the many innovations in teaching and learning that we have developed in recent years, and these will continue to benefit all our learners. I would like to say a huge well done to our pupils, our staff, parents and everyone involved in the Bryngwyn community. We wish every learner the very best in the next step of their journeys.”

**Putting the pupils at the centre and at the heart of everything we do remains our focus at Bryngwyn, so it is only right they have the final word:**

**Lily, Head Girl:** “It is true what they say: you can achieve your dreams if you have courage to pursue them. I would like to say well done to everyone who has received results today. I wish everyone leaving school today the very best for their futures and a very big thank you to all Bryngwyn staff, our parents and our families for all the support and encouragement they have given us over the last 5 years.”

**Corey , Head Boy:** “I would really like to thank everyone at Bryngwyn for believing in me! As I leave Bryngwyn I am taking with me many happy memories and I will always be thankful for my time at Bryngwyn. Congratulations to everyone in Year 11, I hope everyone is pleased and happy with their well-deserved results. We have all tried our very best and we have made it!”

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TOP TEN achievers at Bryngwyn

Ethan Horner	10A*	1A	1B		Additional Maths Distinction
Mia Brady	9A*	3A			
Pupil A	8A*	3A	1B		Additional Maths Distinction & AS Level Welsh
Nicholas Thomas	7A*	4A	1B		Additional Maths Distinction
Martha Williams- Thomas	7A*	4A	1B		Additional Maths Merit
Ffion Morgan	7A*	4A		1C	
Rowan Fielding	7A*	3A	1B	1C	
Cameron Brahaj	7A*	2A	3B		Additional Maths Distinction
Cerys Brown	6A*	5A	1B		Additional Maths Merit
Scarlett Hartnell	5A*	4A	2B	1C	



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